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Chairwoman Kay Granger Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 Ranking Member Rosa DeLauro Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth HOB Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the SW California Boulevard Complete Street Planning Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Port St. Lucie, located at 121 SW Port St. Lucie Boulevard, Port St. Lucie, FL 34984. The funding would be used for replacing an aging bridge to improve the county's infrastructure, resulting in better navigability and reduced congestion. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the proposed project will provide direct benefit to residents in the FL-21 congressional district. Complete Street improvements on SW California Boulevard will repair a broken corridor, help residents improve the quality of their lives, and create pathways to lift people out of poverty and expand the region's middle class.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Brian Mast

Sincerely

Member of Congress

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